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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :  
Hideyuki KAWAI et al. :  
Serial No.: *not yet received* :  
Filed: *herewith* :  
For: MICROCAPSULE AND ITS USES :

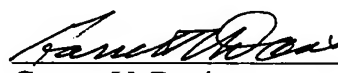
**CLAIM FOR PRIORITY UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119, Applicants hereby claim foreign priority  
benefits from Japanese Application No. 2003-060500, filed March 6, 2003.

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